

A FEROUS RAILROAD ADVENTURE.—At 7 o'clock on the evening of the 13th inst. the train coming from Rome arrived at the station of Acquafredda, and found it impossible to proceed, on account of the rising of the river Fine and another little stream. The train stopped, and the passengers, about a hundred in number, were taken into the station, a building of three stories high, with two large rooms on each floor. The travelers were at first annoyed at the contrivance, but hoped they would soon be able to continue their journey, never imagining that their lives were in any danger. In about an hour, however, the water began to enter the ground floor of the building, and increasing constantly in height, soon attained the depth of a metre. Annoyance changed to fear. Suddenly the voice of the chief of the station was heard shouting, "Stand firm! The house is in danger of falling!" Apprehension soon reached its height. It seemed like the ocean itself, so tempestuous was the weather outside. Within, nothing was to be heard but cries, prayers, and oaths; it was, in short, a terrible scene. Only one gentleman, a priest, Monsieur Durand, of the Order of the Maroni, evinced a little calmness and self-possession. "We merit it," he said, "we are all evil," and then quietly seated himself in the most comfortable arm-chair. From moment to moment the danger increased. The chief of the station, a courageous young man, a Saragat, who, as a soldier, had won the medal of valor, tried in every way to save the passengers. By the road that leads from Acquafredda to Rosignano, which runs along the top of a mountain, it was impossible to pass—the water had inundated and intercepted every approach to it. The courageous young official tied a rope around his body, and threw himself into the water to see if it would be possible for the travelers to reach a mountain opposite the station. His efforts were vain, the means of escape seemed closed. Thus, in the greatest peril, the evening was passed until one o'clock struck. At that hour the water unexpectedly decreased sufficiently to render practicable the road to Rosignano; the danger was miraculously at an end. A message was sent to the Mayor of Rosignano, to the Delegate of Public Safety, and to the Mayor, begging of them to send carriages to take passengers to Rosignano. They were lodged in the different "osterie" of the country, and passed the rest of the night uncomfortably but out of danger. Some were more fortunate, and were invited into better quarters. Seven were taken into the villa of a Count in Rosignano. Among the travelers was the author of "Le Magasin Pittoresque," "La Tour du Monde," and "La Bibliothèque des Merveilles." There was left in the train at Acquafredda a considerable amount of baggage, which was sent off to Leghorn, to be restored to the owners. Among the objects found afterwards were two English passports, and a Freemason's certificate belonging to Colonel Charles M. Green, of the English army. These were placed in the hands of the Mayor of Rosignano, and will be restored to the above when called for.—Paris American Register.

MR. SEWARD'S FIRST LAWSUIT.—There was a time, and it was about that time, that Mr. Seward had his own struggles to contend with. He had just put out his "single" as a "lawyer-at-law." As he used to say, he began the "pursuit of the law at that time, but found it difficult to overtake her." He was wont to narrate, in his familiar way, to his intimate friends how he obtained his first free-dollar fee in Cayuga county, and that, too, in an unpromising, losing case. He walked seven miles, one hot summer's day, down to "Sempson's," or "Cicero Center," or "Cato Four Corners," or some other of those classic "huddles" or villages, named by Dominio Sempson Surveyor-General De Witt, who forgot all the old picturesque and mellifluous Italian names in his love of the classics.

When Lawyer Seward arrived at the tavern where the "Court" had convened, he found the "opposing counsel" had not arrived. The case in discussion was a very plain one, involving, however, some complication of legal terms, in the matter of "exchange" and "dicker." He awaited his opponent for an hour or so; but, as he failed to put in an appearance, he obtained permission from the Court to present his client's side of the suit, which he did in a very few words, as his exposition of the case scarcely admitted of a doubt. A few moments after he had finished, the "opposing counsel," a low pettifogger, who, like necessity, "knew no law," and yet acquired a certain local reputation, and had lately been successful before several ignorant country juries, entered the court-room in his coat sleeves with an old rod on, on a clay pipe twisted in his hand, "3 1/2" marked on the side of it in white chalk. "Sharp practice!" he exclaimed, as he took his seat and mopped his face with a red handkerchief. "Sharp practice for them smart Auburn lawyers; couldn't wait to hear both sides, o' course not! Well, never mind. What did you say? How did he put it? I'll trust any of you to tell me. Mr. Seward's statement and argument was repeated to him, and his response asked for and awaited. "Go on," said he; "I've nothing to say; this jury knows me and I know them. When you've nothing to say, say it. That's my maxim allers. Common law is common sense; that's all I want. English law, which you say he has brought into this case, ain't known here. We had enough of that in the revolution. United States law, New York State law, Cayuga County Court law, is good enough for us plain folks. I ain't anything more to say." And nothing more did he say; but he won his case.—Louis Gaylord Clark.

EROTIC DELECTIONS.—There are plenty of stories of this kind that I might relate to you. For instance, in nurseries it is not at all uncommon, from the secluded life, and the attention being fixed upon one subject, one particular set of ideas and feelings—the want of a healthy vent, so to speak, for the mental activity—that some particular odd propensity has developed itself. For instance, in one sunny abroad, many years ago, one of the youngest ones began to mew like a cat; and all the others, after a time did the same. In another nursery one began to bite, and the others were all affected with the propensity to bite. In one of these instances the mania was spreading like wildfire through Germany, extending from one nursery to another; and they were obliged to resort to some severe measures as I have mentioned to drive it out. It was set down in some instances to demoniacal possession, but the devil was very easily exorcised by some pretty strong threat on the part of the medical man. The celebrated physician Boerhaave was called in to a case of that kind in an orphan asylum in Holland, and I think his remedy was a red hot iron. He heated the poker in the fire, and said that the next girl who fell into one of these fits should be burnt in the arm; this was quite sufficient to stop it. In Scotland at one time there was a great tendency to breaking out into fits of this kind in the churches. This was particularly the case in Shetland, and a very wise minister there told them that the thing could not be permitted, and that the next person who gave way in this manner—

as he was quite sure they could control themselves if they pleased—should be taken out and ducked in a pond near. There was no necessity at all to put his threat into execution. Here, you see, the stronger motive is substituted for the weaker one, and the stronger motive is sufficient to induce the individual to put a check upon himself. I have said that it usually happens with the female sex, though sometimes it occurs with young men who have more or less of the same constitutional tendency. What is necessary is to induce a stronger motive, which shall forth the power of self-control which has been previously abandoned.—Dr. Carpenter, in Popular Science Monthly.

CURIOUS PHENOMENON IN MOROCCO.—It is well known that there exist no volcanoes on the Continent of Africa, although many are found in the adjacent islands of Ascension, Tenerife, Lanzarote, etc. That fact gives additional interest to a discovery just made of a burning cave in Morocco, not far from the town of Fez. The pit in question is designated under the name of Beniguelval. Its orifice is about ten feet above the ground, and twelve feet wide; the sheets of flame issue intermittently, but what is remarkable, always in a horizontal direction, as if driven by a bellows through a reed. There is no eruption of stones or lava, but the fire is driven with such force to the orifice that it is accompanied with a loud hissing noise, while the current is sufficiently strong to blow away anything placed near the opening. The researchers made to discover the origin of this phenomenon have led to no result; but the hypothesis generally admitted is that there exist beds of coal in the mountain, on the side of which this cavern is situated, and that the fuel having become ignited, the combustion is maintained by the draught of air, and will continue so long as the flames find anything to feed on.—Galignani.

INSURANCE OUTRAGE.—Yesterday afternoon an individual approached an unoffending stranger at the depot, and without any warning of whatever nature, remarked: "They say it is well to have two strings on a bow. I know many young ladies who have more than two beaux on a string." He was immediately shot dead on the spot, and the indignation of the public burst forth in Harbor Brook. We have learned the following facts in regard to the history of this degraded man: Born of rich but respectable parents, everything seemed to promise him a virtuous and brilliant career. But, alas! it was the old story; temptation came in his way—he yielded and fell. Totally oblivious, as it were, to all sense of shame, he one day asked a weak, powerless companion, "Why is a carpenter's wife the most unhappy of women?" and followed up the inquiry with the unfeeling remark, "Because her husband is always a-jawin'—er." Shunned since that date by all his former friends, his depravity augmented from day to day, and culminated, yesterday, in the atrocity above mentioned, with the consequent tragic result.—Meriden Citizen.

THE FIRST GAME OF LIFE.—Bawl. There is no better looking-glass than an old, true friend.

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VERY rich and extensive deposits of tin have been discovered in Australia.

A MONK has been known to go through the bars of a field correctly without missing an oat.

"WHAT have you to remark, madame, about my singing?" "Nothing, sir; it is not remarkable."

A NEW article of feminine adornment is a solid metal ring opening on hinges, to be worn as a girdle.

A WESTERN editor says of a neighbor with a quivering eyelid, that "he stutters with his left eye."

IT has been found that in nearly every civilized country the tree that bears the most fruit for the market is the apple-tree.

M. D. CONWAY tells a frightful story of an Englishman who has just returned from New Zealand with a poem of 14,000 verses.

SHOULD a young lady desire to be kissed, what newspaper would she mention? Not the Tribune, nor the Press, but as may times as you please.

A PHILADELPHIA paper says there is more battle at Cape May than ever before. We suppose it means there are a great many lady visitors.

A WESTERN editor, in acknowledging the gift of a peck of onions from a subscriber, says: "It is such kindnesses as these that bring tears to our eyes."

Don't flatter or laud anyone unjustly. Never make fun of anybody's mistakes or failings. Never talk secrets in company. Remember your friends always, and you will be happy.

The taste for emotion may become a dangerous taste; we should be very cautious how we attempt to squeeze out of human life more ecstasy and ecstasy than it can well afford.

A MAN who twenty years ago commenced life in an obscure town without a dollar he could call his own, called at Ogden (I. T.) Auland's office recently to borrow the price of a drink.

THERE isn't much in a name, of course, but unless Mrs. Ellen Probitcher and Susan Van Rippenhausen can find an eligible location for an office in Terre Haute pretty soon they'll go somewhere else.

FRANK HARMAN was a droll dog. When he buried his wife a friend asked him why he expended so much money on her funeral. "Ah, sir," replied he, "she would have done as much more for me with pleasure."

AN Irishman, noticing a lady pass down the street, cried two strips depending from under her mantle. Not knowing that they were styled as such and were hanging in their right place, he exclaimed, "Faith, ma'am, yer galluses is loose."

SIX tripped lightly over the crossing, slipping, "Dear Augustus," and was on the point of embracing him, when a boy ran up and holding up a bundle of papers, cried out, "Missis, you dropped your reading room," and shielded away down a dark alley.

A SUBSCRIBER renewing his subscription to the Religious Telescope, casually remarks: "The tobacco crop is large in our region. As soon as it is out of the way, so that people can attend meetings, we expect to give our time to the Lord."

"CHARLES," said a young lady to her lover, "there's nothing interesting in the paper to-day, is there, dear?" "No, no, but I hope there will be one day, when we both shall be interested." The lady blushed, and said, of course, "For shame, Charles."

JONES thought a little more affection at home might secure more palatable dinners, and in the evening he addressed Mrs. J. in an endearing tone, as "sweetest." She took it quietly, merely asking who the others were.

A CASKY-PULL occurred in an Illinois town lately, and the two gallon pot full of boiling liquid was put out in the back yard to cool, while the jolly went on inside. In due time the cat's corpse was removed, and the candy given to the poor.

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On the appearance of any of these malarial, the Ointment should be well rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, and salt is forced into meat; this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by the printed directions.

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